

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
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**Gerald H. Ablan** )  
) Art Unit: **3621**  
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) Examiner: **C. Hewitt II**  
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**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

Please enter the following amendments as shown to correct certain informalities prior to appeal.

Respectfully submitted,

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